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Inventors: Beckert, et al.
Applicant: Microsoft Corporation
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Emergency Power Shut Down Capabilities

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 22, 2004
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 22, 2004, in connection with the above-identified application, the following amendments and remarks are submitted. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.